

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA COURT ADDRESS: 191 North First Street CITY AND ZIP CODE: San José, California 95113 PHONE NUMBER: (408) 882-2761 FAX NUMBER: (408) 882-2797 BRANCH NAME: Downtown Courthouse - Court Investigator's Division	<i>FOR COURT USE ONLY</i> Filed October 10, 2025 Clerk of the Court Superior Court of CA County of Santa Clara 2014-1-PR-175598 By: clucero
☐ Conservatorship ☒ Limited Conservatorship ☒ Person ☐ Estate ☐ Person & Estate of: RENEE FLUOR EVASCO APELO	
DECLARATION OF COURT INVESTIGATOR PER PROBATE CODE §1851	CASE NUMBER: 2014-1-PR-175598

Conservatee and Date of Birth

* Renee Fluor Evasco Apelo (01 / 18 / 1997)
 * 140 Mirror Court
 * Patterson CA 95363
 * (408) 966- 9099

Conservatee's Attorney

* Public Defender
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 * (408) 299- 7700

Conservator(s)

* Flora Tarcila E. Apelo (mother)
 * 140 Mirror Court
 * Patterson CA 95363
 * (408) 966- 9099

Conservator(s) Attorney

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 * (408) 966- 9099

* Rene A. Apelo (father)
 * 140 Mirror Court
 * Patterson CA 95363
 * (408) 966- 9099

CONSERVATOR:
 Rhenchie Leah E. Apelo (sister)
 140 Mirror Court, Patterson CA 95363
 Phone: (408) 966-9099

Date of Interview: August 22, 2025

Place of Interview: via Zoom interview

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In accordance with **Probate Code §1851:**

Conducted Zoom interview on August 22, 2025.

1. ☐ The conservatee was personally visited by the Court Investigator at his/her place of residence.
2. ☐ The conservatee was informed that he/she was under a conservatorship and who his/her conservator.

Court Investigator Determines:

3. ☐ The conservatee does ☐ / does not ☐ wish to terminate the conservatorship.
4. ☐ The conservatee is still in need of a conservatorship.
5. ☐ The conservator is acting in the best interests of the conservatee.
6. ☐ The conservatee is able ☐ / is not able ☐ to complete the Affidavit of Voter Registration (copy attached).
7. ☐ The conservatee is unable to complete the Affidavit of Voter Registration, but objects to disqualification.
8. ☐ The conservatee was previously disqualified from voting.
9. ☐ The conservatee is not a citizen and is ineligible to vote.
10. ☐ The conservatee's placement and level of care is appropriate for their needs.
11. ☐ The conservatee's quality of care, including physical and mental treatment, is appropriate.
12. ☐ The conservatee's cost of care is current and there are no outstanding financial concerns.
13. ☐ The review has found the conservatee to be stable and all of his/her needs appropriately met.

Next review date: _____

14. ☐ This review has raised concerns which are described in full on the attached page.

Comments:

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date:



Probate Court Investigator

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ATTACHMENT TO DECLARATION OF COURT INVESTIGATOR PER PROBATE CODE § 1851

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DETERMINATION OF VOTING QUALIFICATION:

On **August 22, 2025**, **Rene Fluor Evasco Apelo** was able to provide information to complete most portions of the Affidavit of Voter Registration, and she was able to engage in a brief discussion about the electoral process. Renee was able to provide the following pertinent information: (1) her full name, (2) her date of birth, (3) her current home address, and (4) the date of the Zoom interview. This investigator recommends that Renee retain her voting rights at this time.

HEALTH ISSUES:

Renee Apelo is ambulatory, and she is diagnosed with Autism, eczema, and seasonal allergies. Renee continues to require assistance, prompts and reminders with some of her activities of daily living (ADLs) and daily hygiene tasks. Renee receives all necessary medical care, and she is supported in doing so by her co-conservators/parents, **Flora Apelo** and **Rene Apelo**, and co-conservator/sister, **Rhenchie Apelo**.

Renee is currently taking the following medications: Vitamin C gummies, multi-vitamin supplement, Claritin (for seasonal allergies) and saline nasal spray (for seasonal allergies). Her primary care physician is Dr. Thao Pham at Kaiser-Milpitas, and her dentist is Dr. Wu in Milpitas.

PLACEMENT ISSUES:

On **July 28, 2025**, Mrs. Apelo informed this investigator that she and her family moved to **Stanislaus County** on or about 2021, and that their current home address is 140 Mirror Court, Patterson CA 95363. On **August 22, 2025**, Mr. and Mrs. Apelo and Renee provided this investigator with a tour of Renee's living space (bedroom and bathroom) via Zoom, and this investigator observed that Renee's living space was clean and appropriately furnished. This investigator does not have any issues with Renee's current placement and believes that Renee is living in the least restrictive environment.

CONSERVATEE'S ACTIVITIES:

Renee recently graduated from Mission College in Santa Clara (she received an A.A. in Graphic Design), and Mr. and Mrs. Apelo reported that Renee utilized disability support services through Mission College. Renee stated that her goal was to enroll in a 4-year university in the near future. Renee enjoys attending college classes, spending time with her family, and traveling with her family (she would like to travel to the United Kingdom, Belgium and France).

INVOLVEMENT OF CONSERVATORS:

Renee receives strong family support from her parents and sister, as well as support from Valley Mountain Regional Center (VMRC). Mr. and Mrs. Apelo and Rhenchie Apelo have ensured that Renee is receiving appropriate care and supervision for her safety and well-being. Mr. and Mrs. Apelo are both retired, and they provide the majority of the care and supervision for Renee. Rhenchie works full-time outside of the home, and she provides additional care and

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supervision for Renee. On **September 24, 2025**, VMRC Service Coordinator Lauren Watkins stated, “Renee remains eligible for case management services from Valley Mountain Regional Center (VMRC) due to her diagnosis of autism spectrum disorder. She has been receiving our services since April 2021. Renee meets face-to-face with her designated VMRC Service Coordinator annually, with semi-annual phone contact. As her designated VMRC Service Coordinator, I do not have any concerns regarding the limited conservatorship, care or custody of conservatee, Renee Apelo, at this time”.

FINANCIAL MATTERS:

Mrs. Apelo confirmed that Renee is currently receiving SSI benefits (\$889.87 per month and Mrs. Apelo is the Representative Payee), and that Renee had Medi-Cal and Kaiser healthcare coverage through her father’s medical retirement plan. The family is currently receiving the following services: 242 hours per month of In Home Supportive Services (IHSS), and Mr. and Mrs. Apelo are the IHSS providers.

CONCLUSION AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

It appears that **Flora Apelo, Rene Apelo and Rhenchie Apelo** are acting appropriately in their role as co-conservators for **Renee Apelo**. They have ensured that Renee remains safe and stable at the family home in Patterson. Mr. and Mrs. Apelo, Rhenchie Apelo and VMRC have ensured that Renee’s medical needs, programming needs and day-to-day care needs are being met. Limited Conservatorship of the Person remains appropriate, and the named co-conservators should remain in place.

This investigator recommends that this matter be transferred to the **Superior Court of California-Stanislaus County**, as Renee Apelo has been residing in Patterson since 2021 and she is currently receiving regional services through Valley Mountain Regional Center (VMRC).

This investigator recommends that the Court schedule a **120-day status review hearing** to check on the status of the transfer to Stanislaus County.

This investigator recommends that the co-conservators file the following documents with the Court: (1) Post-Move Notice of Change of Residence of Conservatee (Form GC-080) and (2) Change of Address of Conservator (Form PB-4047).

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: October 9, 2025



MARIO DE LEON
Probate Court Investigator

AFFIDAVIT OF VOTER RESGISTRATION

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA

AFFIDAVIT OF REGISTRATION

1 Name (First Middle Last) ☐ Optional ☐ Mr. ☐ Mrs. ☐ Miss ☐ Ms. RENEE APELO			
2 Residence (Number - Street - Apartment No.) 140 MIRROR COURT		11 Have you ever been registered to vote? Yes ☐ No ☐ If yes, complete this section to the best of your knowledge concerning your most recent registration.	
City PATTERSON, CALIFORNIA ZIP Code 95363		Name (as registered)	
3 Not applicable in this county.		Former Address	
4 Mailing Address (if different from residence)		City County State	
City State ZIP Code		Political Party	
5 Date of Birth JANUARY 18, 1997 (Month - Day - Year)		8 Occupation	
6 Birthplace (Name of U.S. State or Foreign Country)		READ THIS STATEMENT AND WARNING PRIOR TO SIGNING I am a citizen of the United States and will be at least 18 years of age at the time of the next election. I am not imprisoned or on parole for the conviction of a felony. I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California, that the information on this affidavit is true and correct. WARNING Perjury is punishable by imprisonment in state prison for two, three or four years. §126 Penal Code	
7 Political Party (check one) ☐ American Independent Party ☐ Democratic Party ☐ Libertarian Party ☐ Peace and Freedom Party ☐ Republican Party ☐ Decline to State ☐ Other (Specify) _____		9 Telephone (Optional) Area Code () 10 Not applicable in this County	
		12 SIGNATURE—Sign on line below.	
		Date 431 814727	
		13 Signature of person assisting (if any)	

Court Investigator's conclusion: the interviewee **IS ABLE** ☒ **IS NOT ABLE** ☐
 to complete the Affidavit of Voter Registration in accordance with §2150 of the Elections Code of the State of California.

If found "not able": "Do you object to being disqualified from voting?"

Interviewee's answer: **YES** ☐ **NO** ☐ **NO PERTINENT RESPONSE** ☐

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

DATED: August 22, 2025 at San Jose, California.


 Court Investigator